

## General Telegraphic.

### BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

Western Grain to Masford.

Col. Allan McDonald Dead.

Thos. Bill Killed by His Son.

The Murder at Cartwright, Man.

Wholesale War Office Investigation.

Big Business on the C. P. R.

Col. Evans in Ottawa.

Gen. Hutton for Australia.

Winnipeg, Nov. 29.  
Thousands of fresh British troops will be sent to South Africa, next week.

The Masford, Ont., elevators are receiving large quantities of western grain.

Col. Allan McDonald, an inspector of the Indian department, Winnipeg, died.

Thos. Bill, of Ellsboro, N. W. T., north of Wabesay, Assn., was accidentally shot dead by his 16 year old son.

Three search parties are after the murderer of J. Asling, who was shot and killed by an unknown man at Cartwright, Man. The deceased was interred at Cartwright.

It is now said that the names of Gen. Warren, Gatsere and Colville will be coupled with that of Gen. Buller in a war office investigation.

Three sections of the C. P. R. Pacific express passed through Winnipeg yesterday. On board were 175 Chinamen, 200 royal artillery for Esquimaux and several prominent Oriental passengers.

Col. Evans arrived at Ottawa to-day to be consulted regarding the new contingent.

Gen. Hutton has been appointed to command the British forces in Australia.

The \$300,000 suit against W. J. Kooner, a prominent banker of Langdon, N. D., by the husband of Mrs. R. E. Barker, for alienating his wife's affections, has started at Grand Forks, N. D.

The C. N. R. application to run tracks in Carman streets was before the railway committee, Ottawa.

Lord Brassey in an address to the London chamber of commerce, gave some hints on naval improvements.

The Colombian liberals will surrender to Gen. the Government forces were defeated at Buena Vista.

Harry McGovern was knocked out by the 2nd round by "Young" Corbett in the fight at Hartford.

There was a railway disaster in Michigan yesterday. The casualty list is very large.

Three hundred Syracuse Knights of Columbus were wrecked, many being injured.

A silver medal Royal Templars of Temperance contest was held in Winnipeg.

A million dollar loss was sustained by a fire in a New York lumber yard.

Geo. Hudson-Powell is not yet medically fit for service in South Africa.

The Argonauts defeated Varsity at rugby football in Toronto.

Thackeray's house in Kensington has been sold.

Gen. M. Pullman died in California. Zanzibar may be ceded to Germany.

On Thursday afternoon in the Calgary Drawing Co. competition A. C. Fraser's ink was a score of 10 to 9. In the same competition M. McCallie's ink defeated J. C. Downie's ink; score 11 to 9. No matches were played last night owing to not ice and the lights were disconnected owing to an accident at the light plant. Should the ice be in to-night competitions will be held off by the rink of Messrs. McCauley and McIntyre and Messrs. Brown, Mervin and Jellie meet tomorrow afternoon.

At J. Bryan, public school inspector, returned on Wednesday from an official visit to Riviere Qui Parle, lake St. Ann, White Whale lake and Stony Plain. Settlement is increasing at White Whale lake and efforts are being made to organize an usual. The settlement is south of the reserve.

L. W. Menzel, of Stony Plain, had his crop hauled out in July last. The crop was battered into the ground. He sold a load of oats ground from the same crop at 25c.

Cropers are very numerous around the settlements this fall. On Friday last Mr. Bremner's stag hounds killed four and on Saturday three. Mr. and Mrs. Bremner followed the hunt on horseback.

Twelve threshers have been at work on Stony Plain all season and none of them will not be through till Christmas. Eleven of the machines are new.

## LOCAL.

J. H. Morris went to Leduc on Tuesday.

Sergt. Sweetapple was in town Tuesday.

A. T. Cushing goes to Calgary tomorrow.

E. A. Holmes came in from Star on Monday.

St. Andrews supper to-night at the Jasper House.

A. Beckett has taken a position in Brewster's machine shop.

The firemen will have their annual smoker on Thursday evening next.

G. Manuels, local agent of the Massey-Harris Co., went to Leduc Wednesday.

J. A. Feurt agent of three McCormick Co., came up from Red Deer on Wednesday.

The regular Woman's Hospital Aid meeting will be held in the fire hall on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

T. B. Stapeley went to Leduc Wednesday to arrange for operating his saw mill in that vicinity during the winter.

Wong Sing, laundryman, returned last week from an extended visit to China. Sam Ling another member of the staff, left for China on Wednesday.

McIntyre went to Leduc on Wednesday to ship the machinery from the creamery at Hoggy Plains to Calgary where it will be stored for the winter.

Dr. Archibald, of Strathcona, who has been an inmate of the general hospital for a number of weeks, as the result of a broken leg, is now able to be out.

Geo. P. Smith, special agent for the Confederation Life, Toronto, came in on Tuesday's train, to take the local management of the company for some weeks.

Calgary Herald: Hull Bros. shipped two car loads of hogs from Wabesay to the city a few days ago. The people of the northern country believe in raising pigs apparently.

A meeting for the nomination of candidates for the coming election of mayor, councillors and school trustees will be held at the fire hall on Monday next from ten to twelve o'clock.

W. Toole, C. P. R. land agent for Alberta, was in town on Tuesday and Wednesday, looking after the interests of the company in this district. Land Sales have been larger this year than ever before and payments have been better.

On Tuesday morning at the residence of the bride's father, Miss K. Barker, and Mr. T. W. Lines, manager of the Brackman-Kerr mill, Strathcona, were united in marriage, Rev. D. G. McQueen, officiating. The happy couple left on Tuesday's train for the coast.

W. P. Martin, of Wetaskiwin, had his injured leg amputated below the knee at the public hospital on Tuesday.

Mr. Martin's leg was broken in a runaway some time ago. He came to the hospital and after being treated for a time left, the leg apparently doing well, but after leaving the condition of the leg became worse with the result stated.

A bazaar in aid of the building fund of the new cathedral will be held in the seminary hall, St. Albert, on Dec. 26th, 27th and 28th. There will be a sale of fancy work of all kinds and dinner will be served. The feature of the bazaar will be a voting contest between the friends of J. J. Bourgeois and W. Cust. Miss Bourgeois is chief canvasser for Mr. Bourgeois and Miss Morfin for Mr. Cust.

Col. Hughes, M. P., left on Tuesday morning's train for the coast after spending several days in Edmonton and vicinity after his return from Battleford. He visited Wetaskiwin, made trips both west and east of that point; to Pigeon lake on the west and to Bittern lake on the east. Returning to Edmonton he visited Cooking lake, and the Glenary settlement northwest of St. Albert. He will probably visit Edmonton again after next session of parliament. He is most favorably impressed with the Saskatchewan country from Battleford west, and he looks for railway construction at an early date.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church gave a successful Thanksgiving concert and tea in the church last evening. The programme included solos by Messrs. Hagith, Goodwin and Cushing. Selections were also given by quartets composed of Messrs. Chegwinn and McCreon, and Messrs. Studholme and Goodwin and Messrs. Studholme, Goodwin, A. B. Cushing, and Mr. Studholme sang a much appreciated duet. The pastor, Rev. T. O. Buchanan, presided and addresses were delivered by the pastor and Mr. A. F. Cushing. At the conclusion of the programme the audience adjourned to the lecture room for luncheon.

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Dated at Edmonton this 27th day of November, 1901.

Geo. Roy, Registrar.  
First publication of this Notice Friday, Nov. 29th, 1901. 9-15.

### St. Andrew's Day, 1901.

The St. Andrew's Society will hold their annual Supper in the Jasper House on Friday evening, Nov. 29th, at 8:30 o'clock. All Scotsmen are cordially invited. The members of the society will meet at the Council Chamber at 8:15.

Tickets can be procured from the following committee: G. J. Kinnaird, Thos. G. Laidler, J. F. Fisher, K. W. MacKenzie, A. R. McDonald and W. McKay, or the undersigned.

THOS. HOUTSON,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the next session thereof, for an Act to incorporate a company to be called the Battleford and Lake Lenore Railway Co., with all necessary powers to construct, equip, operate and maintain a line of railway of either standard or narrow gauge, for the purpose of conveying passengers, freight, merchandise and goods; utilizing steam, electricity or motive power. Commencing at a point on the Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company's line at or near Hobbs, in the District of Alberta and extending in a north-easterly direction to a point on the Canadian Northern Railway Company's line of railway at or near Crooked River in the District of Saskatchewan. Also a branch line of railway from the said proposed company's line at or near a point in Township 40 or 41 in Range 24 west of the second meridian to a point at or near Yorkton in the District of Assiniboia in said Territories; also to erect bridges across the rivers and streams necessary for the purpose of the undertaking; also to construct, with and enter into running arrangements over any and all railways situated on the said proposed railway or any portion thereof; and with power to expropriate land for the purposes of the company, and to receive from any Government, person or body corporate grants of land, money or other assets in aid of the construction of the undertaking; also to construct, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines along the proposed route of the said railway or connecting therewith; also to construct, acquire and maintain tramways, vessels, water-courses, docks, and other works; also to acquire and use water power and direct and operate all kinds of plant for the purpose of supplying light, heat and electricity and all kinds of motive power, and for other purposes.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN NOV. 29TH, 1901.

## MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS OF THE YEAR.

The annual public meeting for the discussion of municipal affairs was held in Robertson Hall on Monday evening. As usual on such occasions the attendance was not large though considerably larger than at the meeting last year. The purpose of the meeting was to review the work of the council for the first ten months of the year, and the discussion of any subjects of public importance.

Besides the mayor and secretary-treasurer there were on the platform Councillors Blower, Morris, Henry and Lee. Mayor McKay presided and opened the meeting with an address on the general work of the council for the portion of the year now past. In opening his worship regretted the small attendance usual on such occasions as it seemed to indicate a spirit of indifference in public matters. The town was now emerging into a most important period of its history and required that a deep interest in its welfare and course be taken by all citizens.

The railroad problem being among the most important with which the council has had to deal was touched upon and the well known history of railway events for the past year outlined. The council had pursued an intermediate course, endeavoring to protect the interests of the town without arousing the hostility of the company.

The electric street railway scheme proposed in March by Mr. Stephen was the next topic for discussion.

Speaking of the long-felt want of a woolen mill the speaker said that in accordance with the by-law affirmed by the vote of the ratepayers during the summer the council had made arrangements with Mr. W. J. Webster for the establishment of a two-story mill here. The building is to cost \$2,000 and the plant \$15,000. The mill is to be in operation by June next and to run for four months next summer and six months of each succeeding year. The mill was to be bonded to the extent of \$500, as provided by the by-law. In case of failure to fulfil the agreement Mr. Webster would forfeit his right to exemption from taxation and be required to repay the bonus in annual instalments.

The speaker then reviewed the history of the waterworks question for the year. The services of Mr. Chipman, of Toronto, had been secured to assist the council in the matter and he had forwarded a plan for a waterworks system at a cost of \$80,000. When in town Mr. Chipman had roughly sketched a plan of sewerage at a probable cost of \$20,000. These problems would be up for discussion next year, and while the present council had incurred expenses in investigating the matter he considered such necessary to the best solution of the problem.

The speaker concluded by thanking the ratepayers for their courtesy during the last two years and confirming his intention of not again at present being a candidate for the mayoralty.

Councillor Lee, chairman of the finance committee, next addressed the meeting. He thanked the electors for having reposed confidence in him in electing him to the position but announced his intention of not being a candidate for similar honors this year. The speaker read the following report from his committee on the expenditure for the year:

Payable from current revenue;	
Salaries, sec.-treas., solicitor and auditor (10 mos.)	\$1,453.33
Stationery, printing, advertising, postage and telegrams	192.51
Treasurer's bond	40.00
Governor General's reception expenses (1900)	8.50
Moving for Queen Victoria	28.99
Assessment expenses	39.60
By-laws (poll) expenses	63.80
Maps of town	75.00
Grant to Edmonton Industrial exhibition	500.00
Balance market site purchase	
McDougall claim settlement	200.00
Fire insurance	67.00
Legal expenses	54.85
Discounts (on tax payments)	2,901.26
Remissions and taxes payable by town	780.50
Interest	732.72
	\$7,531.12

Payable from direct tax levy;	
Debit interest	4,318.77
General tax debit interest, sinking fund	1,788.49
Special tax debit interest, sinking fund	1,818.74
General tax debit interest No. 28, 2nd instalment	1,046.61
Edmonton Protestant public school demand	8,500.00
St. Joseph's Roman Catholic school demand	1,500.00
	\$18,971.92

Payable from current revenue;	\$ 7,531.12
Payable from direct tax levy	18,971.92
	\$26,503.04
Expenditure on current account	\$7,531.12
Allowed for in estimates	6,770.00
Shortage	\$701.12
Next came the statement of the floating debt:	
Assets:	
Cash on hand	\$3,289.40
Unpaid taxes	5,745.42
Unsold debentures (No. 49) market site	4,000.00
Claim for small pox epidemic and quarantine	2,609.49
General debenture expenditure	182.00
Local improvements, 1901	1,238.09
Total	\$17,184.40

Liabilities:	
Borrowed from Imperial Bank on P. N.	10,000.00
Borrowed from sinking fund, on P. N.	4,000.00
Interest on monies borrowed	215.50
Salaries for Nov. and Dec.	836.67
New fire tank	410.00
Balance grant to fire brigade	75.00
	\$15,537.17
Assets:	\$17,184.40

Balance assets over liabilities, \$1,647.23

Concerning the indebtedness of the town Mr. Lee said two years ago the debt had been \$22,000. This had been reduced by \$10,711 leaving a balance of only \$11,289. Thus while the tax rate was high the money was being used for the reduction of the debt.

Coun. Morris, chairman of the board of works, reported next. He thanked the ratepayers for the honor conferred upon him. His committee had had only \$2,500 with which to carry on public works during the year and had been in conflict with the elements during the season which had prevented them doing as much as might have otherwise been accomplished. The speaker presented the report for his committee as follows:

Expenditure to date:	
Street repairs and drainage	\$2,081.70
New street crossings	317.51
Culvert on Fraser's hill	40.00
	\$2,439.21

Local improvements, 1901, 10 petitions.

No. 1. Sidewalk east side Fifth street, H. B. R. between Victoria and McKay avenues	131.82
No. 2. Sidewalk west side Sixth street, H. B. R. between Jasper and Victoria avenues	172.12
No. 3. Sidewalk north side May street, between McDougall and First St.	206.04
No. 4. Sidewalk south side Jasper avenue between Fifth and Sixth Sts. H. B. R.	123.96
No. 5. Sidewalk south side Elizabeth St. between First and Howard Sts.	54.08
No. 6. Sidewalk south side Jasper avenue between Sixth and Seventh Sts. H. B. R.	117.36
No. 7. Sidewalk west side Sixth street, H. B. R. between McKay and Hardisty avenues	132.60
No. 8. Sidewalk east side Fourth St., H. B. R. between Jasper and McKay avenues	288.75
No. 9. Sidewalk south side Elizabeth street, between McDougall and Howard Sts.	72.36
No. 10. Paving north side First street, R. L. 10, between Fraser and N. Mayo avenues	5.00
	\$1,298.09

Councillor Brown, chairman of the health and relief committee, being absent the duty of answering for the work of the committee devolved on Coun. Henry. He had been busy preparing for the report of the committee of which he was chairman and was not prepared to submit an elaborate report from the health and relief committee. The speaker dwelt briefly on the work of the committee during the year and announced that the council had reason to believe that the expenditure attendant on the small pox outbreak would be refunded by the Dominion government. Following is a report of the work of the committee for the 10 months gone by:	
Expenditure to date:	
Medical health officer's salary (10 months)	200.00
Relief to poor people	25.06
Vaccine and disinfectants	59.96
Scavenging	8.10
Nuisance ground burning and repairs	41.80
Insurance on hospital effects	16.80
	\$351.20
Civic Hospital:	
Total cost of hospital and guarantee	\$3,154.42
Less paid by town of Strathcona	484.93
Balance claimed from government	\$2,669.49

Coun. Henry reported on behalf of the license and police committee, of which he is chairman. He could claim for his committee what no other chairman could, that his department had been run on a dividend paying basis and had put more cash into the municipal coffers than it had taken out. On behalf of his committee he presented the following report:

Expenditure to date:	
Salaries police and magistrates (10 months)	\$1,403.00
Special constables 1st July	45.00
Police clothing	161.50
Police expenses	40.10
Dog and drag tags	14.65
Pound rent, wages and repairs	88.95
	\$1,748.20

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Allowed for in estimates	\$2,000.00
Expenditure to date	1,748.20
Balance remaining	\$251.80
Revenue to date:	
Police court fines	369.25
Licenses	2,173.22
Dog taxes	388.50
Pound fencing sold to Jackson & Grierison	8.00
	\$2,838.97

Town pound had been turned over to hall and market committee and established on market property on Oct. 10, 1901, Pound fees earned 16-10-01, to 23-11-01.

Poundkeepers wages, 16-10-01 to 23-11-01	17.50
Balance revenue	\$7.29
Total revenue	\$2,866.17
Total expenditure	1,748.20
Balance	\$1,117.97

In conclusion Coun. Blower said the coming year would be one of great importance to the town and he hoped an energetic and efficient council would be elected. He stood for municipal ownership of waterworks.

Coun. Henry, chairman of the fire, water and light, committee, reported next.

He paid a well deserved tribute to the fire brigade and commended them to the sympathy and co-operation of the ratepayers. The report of the committee as presented follows:

Expenditure to date:

Salaries engineer and building and fire inspector (10 months)	\$700.00
Street lighting (10 mos.)	803.17
Nine fire alarms	205.50
Fire brigade practices	33.50
Fire brigade annual grant (paid)	75.00
Fire brigade poll tax allowances	80.00
Engineer's uniform, clothing	31.50
Fire department repairs	69.69
Electric gong in chief of fire brigade's house	11.00
New suction hose	131.40
Five fire extinguishers	90.00
Coal and water wagon (engine tender)	110.00
	\$2,340.76

Remaining unpaid.

New fire tank (under construction)	410.00
Balance annual grant to fire brigade	75.00
Total	\$2,825.76

The speaker believed that the coming year would be one of great importance to Edmonton and endorsed the policy of municipal ownership of the waterworks system as every town which had had experience in both plans recommended this.

In closing the meeting his worship complimented Sec.-Treas. Kilmuir on his carefulness and efficiency.

The mayor intimated the advisability of some arrangement by which the trustees of the public school should report to the ratepayers. The board had demanded \$8,500 from the council during the year, a jump from about \$5,000 and he thought it only right that the public account should be given of the business of the trustee board.

No report was made from the hall and market committee, chairman Goodridge being absent. Appendix is a report of the committee's work:

Expenditure to date.—Hall.

Caretaking (10 months)	100.00
Light, fuel and water	232.72
Telephones	61.00
Cleaning and repairs	48.65
Alterations in rooms	236.25
Repairs to roof	60.00
	\$738.62

Market.

Rent (paid Mrs. Heimick)	400.00
Office building	115.52
Weigh scales approaches	19.50
Pound fencing	15.25
Salary and expenses of market office	300.98
Total	\$851.25
Hall	738.62
	\$1,589.87

Revenue to date.

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Total	\$223.50



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## AS TO OATS.

The following from the latest issue of the Winnipeg Commercial indicates that that journal is not beyond reach of the influence of the Manitoba grain combine:

## "Alberta Oats."

"Quite a little interest has been taken in the government offer to purchase oats in Northern Alberta, for shipment to South Africa. The government agent offered 27c. to the Edmonton district points for the oats, but as this price was much below the ordinary commercial value for shipment, the government was obliged to advance the price to 30 cents per bushel. Evidently soundly expected to make a little political capital out of this government oat-purchasing business and was disappointed, as some silly stories have been sent out about a combination of the grain men to prevent the government from obtaining the oats. The fact simply is that owing to high prices and steady advance in the east, the grain shippers could get better prices than what was offered by the government. The government was not buying oats in Alberta for the benefit of the farmers. They went where they thought they could get the order filled, and the price offered was lower, and not higher than the ordinary market value, as shown by the fact that the price had to be advanced 3 cents. The government agent no doubt tried to buy the oats as cheaply as possible, but found it impossible to buy so much under the market value as the first price offered would indicate."

The Commercial alleges that the effort of the government to purchase oats arose from a desire to make political capital, and that the government tried to buy below the market price; the inference being conveyed that only the Winnipeg philanthropists saved the farmer from robbery by the government.

In the first place the government is not buying oats, does not need oats, and does not want oats. The strong representations made by the boards of trade and business men's associations of North Alberta in July and August last, the department of agriculture decided to extend to North Alberta the operations which it had already been engaged in in Eastern Canada ever since the outbreak of the war in South Africa; namely, acting as the agency to secure to Canadian producers a share of the market thereby created. Possibly this is an effort to make political capital. But it does not offer half the opportunities that would have existed, and been availed of, to make capital against the government had not Alberta's oats been the subject of the government's arrangements. With Alberta oats at 19c a bushel as they were before the contract was made, and produce being shipped under government arrangement from Eastern Canada, to South Africa, what a magnificent opportunity would have existed to exercise on government neglect of the West. When the subject was first discussed in the papers it will be remembered that the Winnipeg Telegram took as its text the lack of a market for Alberta oats in order to show that the government had not done its duty by the West. What was wanted, the Telegram declared, was in order to hold the Kootenay market for Alberta oats. A magnificent idea truly, and one that would have left the market for Alberta oats absolutely in the hands of the Winnipeg grain combine.

Had a market not been found the government would have been to blame, and now that a market is found the government is still to blame because, the market having been advanced by the contract, prices have advanced.

That this was the government contract which made the market everyone acquainted with the facts must know. On October 25th, the Brackman-Ker Company advertised in the Bulletin 23c as the top price for No. 1 milling, and 22c for No. 2 milling oats. Whether the No. 2 milling advertised was worth 22c are the same as the No. 2 white of the government contract it is not necessary to argue. Accepting that the 23c oats were No. 2 white of government standard, that price was advertised as a rise from the fact that a lower price had prevailed up to that time. On October 25th the agreement was entered into by the government guaranteeing a price of 24c to farmers at railway points. And on Nov. 1st the Brackman-Ker Co., advertised in the Bulletin 24c for No. 1 milling. This was followed on Nov. 8th by an advertisement of 25c for No. 1 milling. On Monday, Nov. 18th, the price at the elevators in Strathcona was 25c. On Tuesday, Nov. 19th, the government price was increased to 27c, and not until then was the combine's price increased to 28c. There could not be clearer evidence that the government was not only not endeavoring to purchase below the market price but that it was the government price which in every case caused the increase in the

market price. The difference between the government and the combine is that the government's interest was to supply a legitimate demand while the interest of the Winnipeg philanthropists was simply to control the market. The facts show conclusively that had it not been for the government contract, whatever the eastern demand might have been, the members of the combine and not the Alberta farmer would have received the benefit. The oats would have remained practically in storage in farmers hands to be taken as the combine required them for eastern distribution at prices fixed by themselves. But the government contract compelled the combine to come out and buy the oats at an advance over the government price, and provide their own storage.

All this is perfectly legitimate business and no fault is to be found with the action of the combine in its attempt to control the market. But when it seeks the aid of papers with a reputation such as the Commercial to misrepresent the position of the government and to discredit its successful efforts to secure fair prices for farmers produce, it is necessary to place the facts clearly before the public.

## THE TARIFF.

The tariff question can never be finally settled. There must always be a division of opinion between seller and buyer. The consumer naturally wants less duty and the maker wants more. All agreements regarding tariff must be in the nature of a compromise. The nearer general satisfaction can be arrived at the better, but there is no hope of pleasing all parties. In the West, where the people are all buyers, the present tariff is looked upon as too high in many respects. In the east where the manufacturing interests largely direct public opinion it is looked upon as too low. So far as the West is concerned the question has been allowed to lie quiet. The reductions that had been made were satisfactory as far as they went, and it was hoped that they would in time be followed by further reductions.

But if the western consumer is satisfied to accept existing conditions for a time at least the eastern manufacturer is not. The measure of protection which he enjoys, and which the western consumer thinks is too much, is not enough for him, and he is preparing to make his voice heard and his influence felt. At a recent meeting of the Canadian Manufacturer's Association held in Montreal, resolutions were passed favoring increased duties on agricultural implements, lumber, woolen goods, oatmeal and other articles. They had the premier and several members of the cabinet to dinner and did not fail to use every means to impress their views on their guests. It is too soon as yet to be sure what effect this combination of resolutions and banquets will have. Possibly none; and possibly the fact that the West has not formally objected to the present tariff may be taken as showing that it is in the humor to permit still greater protection to manufacturers. On that point the shortest word is the best for all parties concerned. The West has not accepted the present tariff as a settlement, but merely as a compromise. If the compromise is not to stand it must be succeeded by a lower and not a higher tariff. The manufacturers show little regard for any interest but their own in moving for an increase of duties which it would be suicide for the government, which has so far protected them, to grant.

## NORTH-WEST FARMER'S CROP ESTIMATE.

The North-West Farmer of Nov. 20th contains crop reports sent in by that paper's correspondents at representative points all over Manitoba and the Territories. In summarizing the returns, the Farmer says in part:

"Striking an average of the yields reported, we obtain the following results:—  
"Manitoba—Wheat 23.76 bushels to the acre, oats 44.44, barley 35.43, flax 13.60.  
"Assiniboia—Wheat 23.31 bushels, oats 36.59, barley 39.63, flax 17.59.  
"Alberta—Wheat 30.29 bushels, oats 54.13, barley 37.17.  
"Saskatchewan—Wheat 28.50 bushels, oats 50.75, barley 38.33.

"We think that these averages represent pretty accurately the actual crop returns for the divisions of the country which they represent. No estimated yield for the crops in the Territories has ever been prepared during the growing season by the Territorial department of agriculture, but it is interesting to compare the figures obtained from our correspondents with the August Bulletin (issued by the department of agriculture for Manitoba). That report gave estimates made from the standing crop, as follows:—Wheat 23.29 bushels, oats 43.76 bushels, barley 33.68 bushels. With the more actual information which is now being received, our correspondents to gather, it will be noticed that the average for the wheat crop has been slightly lowered, while those of oats and barley have been raised. It will be noticed that the best yields as a rule are reported from the parts of Manitoba lying to the north, a fact which may be more or less due to the greater percentage of newer lands being brought into cultivation in these districts, and which also suggests that perhaps the productiveness of the land in what we have all along called our best wheat growing sections may already be becoming impaired by too close and too continuous cropping.

The returns from crops in the Territories show a considerably higher average than do those from Manitoba, but this is only in keeping with conditions

as they have existed throughout the entire growing season. We do not think the reports have anything of the "boom" character about them—in fact, in some cases it may be that they are rather below than above the actual returns."

## ANOTHER HUDSON BAY RAILWAY.

Notice is given of an application to be made to parliament at its next session, for an act to incorporate "The Manitoba and Keewatin Railway Company" to construct and operate a railway commencing at a point in or adjacent to the city of Winnipeg or in or near East Selkirk, thence northerly through the province of Manitoba to the eastern boundary thereof, thence easterly through the district of Keewatin to the title water connecting the same at the mouth of the Severn river or southeasterly therefrom in the Territory of Keewatin, with authority to construct a branch line to Lake Winnipeg on one side and to the main line of the Canadian Pacific railway on the other side, with power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines for the purpose of its business and for the public, and with power to own, use and operate water power convenient to the road for their railway and other purposes, with further power to own and operate steamships, and shipping, and build and erect the necessary wharves, and with such other powers and privileges as are usually given to railway companies. Howell, Mathers & Howell, of Winnipeg, are solicitors for the applicants.

## MANITOBA'S DEMAND.

The following appears in the latest issue of the North-West Farmer, on the subject of provincial organization for the Territories:

"The most important development which has transpired since our last articles on the subject is undoubtedly the lodgement by the province of Manitoba of a formal claim for a very considerable portion of Eastern Assiniboia. As we stated in a former issue, there are very material points in favor of an arrangement contemplating addition to Manitoba and the establishment of one province out of the balance, providing the terms could be so arranged as to inflict no hardships on the added portion in the way of assuming the burden of any existing debt incurred by Manitoba. Such an adjustment could easily be made. A more formidable obstacle, however, is the unanimous objection of the people residing in Eastern Assiniboia to any business partnership with the province of Manitoba."

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## THE RAILWAY.

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## MARKETS.

Eggs, scarce, 25c.  
Butter, scarce, 25c.  
Potatoes, 35c.  
Beets, 40c.  
Carrots, 40c.  
Turnips, 25c.  
Onions, \$1.50 bushel, none offering.  
Pork, fairly plenty, 41-2c live; 61-2c dressed.  
Beef, 21-2c live; 5c dressed.  
Mutton, 41-2c to 5c; live, 9c dressed.  
Chickens, spring, 9c dressed.  
Geese, ducks, turkeys, 12c dressed.  
Venison, 10c dressed.

## OATS.

Deliveries continue large, anywhere between 10,000 and 15,000 bushels a day in Edmonton. Except yesterday, which being a holiday had light deliveries. The price has fallen from 23c on Friday last to 22c today for government standard. On Monday last the price was 27c. On Wednesday it came down to 25c, and on Thursday, being an off day, it was 25c. Feed oats are going at 24c. Although the price is now at the figure of the government standard, the cars have gone forward to fill it. With the fall in price there is a tendency for deliveries to slacken.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Queen's—J. H. Picard, P. W. Barker, H. P. Mitchell, T. G. W. A. Had, en, town; J. B. Butchart, Burton, B. C. V. Guesneau, Creuzot, C. L. True, S. H. McKinnick, Sturgeon, M. Dubeau, Daugh, J. C. Fraser, R. S. Harris, O. H. Tratt, Fort Saskatchewan; W. S. Sharpe, J. C. Brown, Wetaskiwin; J. G. Saiton, Nelson, E. H. Hest, G. T. V. Guesneau, S. Mayer, Antwerp; P. S. Washburn, M. M. Washburn, town; P. Saiton, Leduc; J. Lamoureux, A. Lamoureux, New Lunnun.

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## NORTH STURGEON.

The grain is going in to Edmonton from North Sturgeon rapidly. The Gyron brothers will soon be through threshing in the neighborhood of Exeter and will move on nearer the river by next week. Three or four threshing machines are working within hearing distance of one another. Surely the harvest is great and the farmers are enjoying a surplus of straw and green feed this year. If anyone has cows to let he would do well to inquire of C. L. True, North Sturgeon.

## COMMUNICATION.

Will you kindly insert in your paper the following letter and oblige—  
To The Board of Health Committee  
In some cases persons quarantined for measles have been given permits to go home after the house was put in quarantine. As I am an exception in the case, I would like to know what I have to do, or if I am not entitled to the same favor. A quick solution of the problem will save me useless expenses. Another thing is that the sick child is perfectly well and was only ill three days. When am I going to be relieved from quarantine, as I have not seen any doctor of the board of health since the yellow card was put on the house?

Yours truly,  
OSCAR TESSIER.

## BIRTHS.

Hay.—At Edmonton on Thursday, Nov. 28th, the wife of Joseph K. Hay, of a daughter.

## MARRIAGES.

Lane—Barker.—At Edmonton, Alberta, on Tuesday, Nov. 26th, by Rev. D. G. McQueen, Thos. V. Lines, of Brackman-Erving Milling Co. to Kathleen, youngest daughter of P. M. Barker, Edmonton.

## LOCAL.

—Thawing to-day.  
—Supt. Constantine was in town Tuesday.  
—W. A. Fife, of Leduc, was in town Wednesday.  
—Thanksgiving day was observed in town as a holiday.

—N. E. Brooks, of the C. & E. railway, came in on Monday from Calgary.

—R. J. Hutchings, of the Calgary branch of the Great West Saddlery Co., is in town.

—F. A. Richardson, produce dealer, went down the line on Tuesday returning last night.

—Ogil Sutherland was taken to the public hospital on Wednesday suffering from a gripe.

—Gallagher-Hull are installing an electric light plant in their pork packing establishment.

—F. E. Haines, late of the Bulletin staff, is on the staff of a newspaper in Marysville, B. C.

—S. Mayer, representing the Beaver line, of steamships, returned from Beaver Creek, on Tuesday.

—Owing to an accident at the electric light works a considerable number of lights recently put on have been disconnected.

—A tea and concert was given last evening in Rose' hall, Strathcona, in aid of Holy Trinity church, a large number attending.

—R. Corbett, of Horse Hills, brought a bag of oats to town to-day which weighed 124 lbs. A measured bushel of the oats weighed 41 lbs.

—A thanksgiving sermon was preached yesterday morning in the Presbyterian church by Rev. D. G. McQueen to a large congregation.

—M. H. McLeod, chief engineer of Mackenzie & Mann, came in on Wednesday evening to inspect the work on the extension of the C. & E.

—A meeting of the executive of the cricket club will be held in the office of Galt Bros. on Saturday afternoon next, at 2 o'clock. All members of the executive are requested to attend.

—While playing with a few other boys on the ice above the bridge on Wednesday the six year old son of Mr. J. C. F. Bowen fell into the river and was carried down stream several rods. He was rescued by C. Grissette little worse for his chilly bath.

—The third class normal session this year will commence on Monday, Dec. 2nd, and will be held in the same rooms as last year over Morris & Co's store. Insp. McCall will take charge. The session will continue until the end of February. There will be six students.

—K. A. McLeod will erect a two story frame business block on the lots opposite Ross & Lee's warehouse. The delivery of the lumber was begun to-day and operations will be pushed at once to completion. The building will be 50x60 feet, offering accommodation for two stores.

—A. G. Harrison, homestead inspector, has been notified of his appointment as land agent at Edmonton. He will take charge on December 1st. Mr. Norquay, the present acting agent, will leave for Regina on December 15th where he will take charge of the office during the absence of the agent.

—A. G. Harrison, homestead inspector, came in Wednesday from a three weeks trip through the districts south of town. On the trip he visited, among other places, Willow Creek, Michigan Centre, Calmar, Beaumont, Crooked Lake, Bittern lake, Wetaskiwin, Millet and Leduc. He reports Leduc the busiest town along the line. The trails throughout the trip were smooth and wheeling good.

—The regular meeting of the council on Wednesday evening was small in attendance, there being, present, the mayor and Councillors Blower, Lee and Henry. Several letters were read and read, one of pressing importance, Dr. Wilson and Ray were present and laid complaint that the medical health officer had permitted medical and surgery from some unqualified houses and prevented the same from others.

The matter was laid over for consideration at next meeting. Complaints were also heard from Messrs. Bishop and Turpin, insurance agents, who objected to paying license. The sitting was an unusually long one dismissing at 1 a. m. on Thursday.

—The third Canadian contingent, but the fifth contingent of Canadians for South Africa is to consist of 600 mounted men. Men to be enlisted and officers selected by the Canadian government. Preference is to be given to single men who have had previous experience in South Africa. No Separation allowances will be paid in cases of married men enlisting. The horses and equipments will be supplied by Canada but the cost will be repaid by the Imperial government. The Imperial government provides the arms, and pays the force. The pay is cavalry rate until landing in South Africa and then army rates while there. The term of enlistment is not fixed. Col. Evans, of the C. M. R. will command. The work of organization will proceed at once. Almost the militia department is flooded with offers of enlistment. Men will be taken from all the provinces.

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## THE NEW GERMAN CHURCH.

Contributed.  
Sunday last the newly built German Baptist church was dedicated. At 11 o'clock pastor G. Schumke, from Leduc, preached the dedication sermon in German to a full house. After the sermon a collection in cash and subscriptions was taken, amounting to nearly \$200. At 9 o'clock in the afternoon Rev. McDonald, pastor of the Presbyterian church, addressed the meeting in English, after which a very instructive written paper was read in German by pastor Schumke, about Christian education. Three other speakers spoke about education and deacon A. Kuhn, of Rabbit Hill, closed the very interesting meeting with prayer. The meeting in the evening at 8 o'clock was overcrowded and many had to go home, not being able to find a place in the church. Rev. McDonald, of Strathcona, and Rev. Mr. Buchanan, of Edmonton, and Rev. Mr. Buchanan, of Edmonton, addressed the congregation in English. Then a collection was taken up of \$85. While we are thankful for every cent we received, we missed the richer, the "better class," altogether, the German people are still a debt of \$250. To finish the building (chairs, pulpit, paint, woodshed and fence) will cost us \$200 more, making \$450 to \$500.

The present German mission fields in Alberta of Rev. A. Hager and Rev. G. Schumke contain about 500 families around Edmonton, Strathcona and Leduc, which means a great trade for Edmonton. Would it not be fair and wise for the business men in Edmonton and Strathcona to do something for the German cause here? As many could not get a seat on Sunday evening, we will be ready to accept your donation and it will be sent to Rev. A. Hager, in Edmonton. As many of the Germans do not wish their names published in the "Bulletin" we will omit that.

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